

IMAGE TRANSMISSION METHOD AND APPARATUS

ABSTRACT

A system for efficiently transferring composite images via
5 a network, the composite images having been formed from a plurality
of partial images generated by a modality. The system is configured
to transmit a composite image, original images from which the
composite image is formed, or combining data required for generating
a composite image based on the original images, or a combination
thereof, according to an output destination device or device
10 attribute specified by the user.